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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jeffrey I. Cleland et al.

Serial No. 09/687,951

Filing Date: October 13, 2000

For: INJECTION VEHICLE FOR POLYMER-BASED
FORMULATIONS

Examiner Chih Min Kam

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action
dated December 31, 2003 for a period of three months.

Please charge the \$930.00 filing fee to American Express Account No.
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Respectfully submitted,

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